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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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United States of America :

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Richard Phillips :
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CR 11-0757(SLT) (JO)

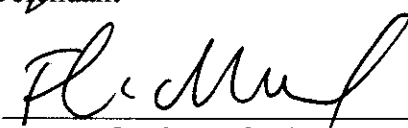
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JAMES ORENSTEIN, U.S.M.J.:

**CONSENT TO HAVE A PLEA TAKEN BEFORE UNITED STATES
MAGISTRATE JUDGE JAMES ORENSTEIN**

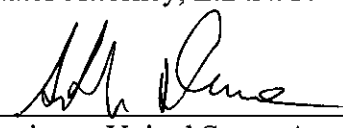
United States Magistrate Judge James Orenstein has informed me of my right to have my plea taken before a United States District Judge. I have further been advised, however, that I may consent to have my plea taken before Magistrate Judge James Orenstein. I understand that I will suffer no prejudice if I refuse to so consent. I further understand that if I do not consent, the District Court Judge assigned rather than the Magistrate Judge will conduct the plea allocation.

After having discussed this matter fully with my counsel, I hereby consent to enter my plea before United States Magistrate Judge James Orenstein.


Defendant


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Dated: 1/18/12
Brooklyn, New York